

## Message Text

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ACTION EA-14

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 CIAE-00 NSAE-00 NSCE-00 SSO-00 USIE-00

INRE-00 PM-07 H-03 INR-10 L-03 NSC-10 PA-04 RSC-01

PRS-01 SPC-03 SS-20 DPW-01 IO-14 OMB-01 PPT-02 SCA-01

SCS-03 DRC-01 /100 W

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FM AMEMBASSY MANILA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 690

INFO AMCONSUL HONG KONG

AMEMBASSY SAIGON

CINCPAC

13TH AF CLARK AB

DEPT OF DEFENSE

C O N F I D E N T I A L MANILA 1104

CINCPAC FOR POLAD

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MILI, MOPS, PFOR, VS, PF, CH, US

SUBJECT: PARACELS - KOSH RELEASE

REF: (A) SEC DEF DTG 292141Z JAN 74

(B) HONG KONG 1021

(C) CINCPAC DTG 30\*339Z JAN 74

1. EMBASSY MANILA WILL HAVE CONSUL MERLE ARP STANDING BY AT CLARK AIR BASE FOR ARRIVAL C-9 WITH KOSH. PHIL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS NOTIFIED OF PENDING ARRIVAL, AND ARP WILL OBTAIN APPROPRIATE DOCUMENTS FOR ENTRANCE PHILIPPINES AND ISSUANCE OF PASSPORT IF NECESSARY.

2. ARP SERVED AS MEMBER HOMECOMING TEAM AND IS FAMILIAR WITH PROCEDURES HOST GOVERNMENT AND CLARK

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AND CAN BE FULLY RESPONSIVE IN RENDERING ASSISTANCE

KOSH. HOWEVER, CURRENT SITUATION DIFFERS FROM  
HOMECOMING OPERATION WHERE STATE CLEARLY GIVEN  
RESPONSIBILITY ALL CIVILIANS. KOSH DOD CIVILIAN  
AND PRESUME EXPENSES RELATED TRANSPORT, HOSPITALIZATION,  
AND ONWARD TRAVEL WILL BE HANDLED BY DOD.

3. ASSUME DEPARTMENT AGREES CINCPAC INSTRUCTION  
CONTAINED REF (C) ON HANDLING PRESS, BUT EMBASSY NEEDS  
GUIDELINES ON REQUESTS FOR PRESS INTERVIEWS AND LIMITATION  
ON DISCUSSION CIRCUMSTANCES OF CAPTURE AND TREATMENT.

4. EMBASSY DOES NOT PLAN SEND USIS OFFICER UNLESS  
REQUESTED BY CLARK PAO REPS WHO INDICATED TODAY  
THEY SEE NO NEED AT THIS TIME.

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